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NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES March 23, 2016

A regular meeting of the New Jersey State Board of Massage and Bodywork Therapy was held at 124 Halsey Street Newark, New Jersey, in the Somerset Conference Room, 6th Floor, on Wednesday March 23, 2016. The meeting was convened in accordance with the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act. Cynthia Sinicropi-Philibosian, Chairperson of the Board called the meeting to order at 9:30 A.M. and a roll call was taken and the following attendance was recorded:

CYNTHIA SINICROPI-PHILIBOSIAN	Present
LORI KEITH	Present
DAVID BANK	Present
BRUCE A. SPICER	Excused

Also present were: Swang Oo, Deputy Attorney General; Laura L. Anderson, Executive Director; Gerard Tobia, Administrative Staff; Michela Ross, Government Rep.

OPENING STATEMENT "Reading of the Sunshine Law" A QUORUM WAS DECLARED PRESENT:

In accordance with Chapter 231 of P.L. 1975, more commonly referred to as the Sunshine Law, adequate notice of this meeting was provided by mailing on December 30, 2015. A schedule of all 2016 Regular Open Meetings of the Board of Massage and Bodywork Therapy to be held during 2016 was provided to the Office of the Secretary of State, Star Ledger, Trenton-Times, The New York Times, Camden Courier Post, The Press of Atlantic City and The Philadelphia Inquirer. The schedule has also been posted on the website.

Public Comments: None

I. APPROVAL OF THE PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES

A. February 24, 2016

**Upon a motion made by Lori Keith and seconded by David Bank, the Board voted to approve the February 24, 2016 Public Session Minutes with amendments.
A vote was taken and the motion carried by a unanimous vote.**

II. BOARD DISCUSSION

1. Licensure Requirements

The Board discussed requirements for licensure by education, specifically transcripts, to insure that applicants for initial licensure are in compliance pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:37A-2.1.

III. PROVISIONAL ORDER OF DISCIPLINE (No Response)

1. Lirong Pei; License No. 18KT00860000
Provisional Order of Discipline filed January 28, 2016

Upon a motion made by David Bank and seconded by Lori Keith, the Board voted to finalize the Provisional Order of Discipline by default with no modifications. A vote was taken and the motion carried by a unanimous vote.

IV. INFORMATIONAL MATERIAL

1. Julianne Melicia; Applicant ID# 1908590
Consent Order Granting Licensure filed February 22, 2016
2. Frederick W. Callis; License No. 18KT00049400
Final Order of Discipline filed February 22, 2016
3. Meilan Huang; Applicant ID# 1922925
Final Order of Denial of Licensure filed February 17, 2016
4. Chun Hua Jin; License No. 18KT00177400
Final Order of Discipline filed February 17, 2016
5. Ruben O. Bea; License No. 18KT00809400
Final Order of Discipline filed February 17, 2016
6. Xiao D. Lambert; Applicant ID# 1970165
Consent Order Granting Licensure filed February 17, 2016
7. Yenifer Rodriguez Mares; Applicant ID# 1897390
Consent Order Granting Licensure filed February 17, 2016
8. Diana L. Gonzalez; Applicant ID# 1923662
Consent Order Granting Licensure filed February 17, 2016
9. Amy E. Patunas; License No. 18KT00861900
Final Order of Discipline filed February 17, 2016
10. Emmajeane Durrant; License No. 18KT00788100
Final Order of Discipline filed February 22, 2016

11. Shunyu Cui; Applicant ID# 1757411
Final Order of Denial of Licensure filed February 22, 2016
12. Ok Nyum Schuler; License No. 18KT00316800
Final Order of Denial of Reinstatement of License filed February 22, 2016
13. Wayne Carl Watts; Applicant ID# 1728922
Final Order of Denial of Licensure filed February 17, 2016
14. JinHua Li; Applicant ID# 1790314
Final Order of Denial of Licensure filed February 17, 2016

The Board considered the above as informational material.

V. LEGISLATION

Assembly Bills

1. Bill A-3453

Bill A-3453 Requires all public bodies to allow public comment at every meeting.

A motion was made by David Bank and seconded by Lori Keith, to advise the Division of Consumer Affairs legislative liaison that the Board supports this bill A-3453. A vote was taken and the motion carried by a unanimous vote.

VI. ADJOURNMENT

At 10:00 AM. Upon a motion made by Lori Keith and seconded by David Bank, the Board voted to move into Executive Session to consider and review consumer complaints, investigative reports and other information received pursuant to the Boards' regulations. The result of these deliberations will be made known when and if the Board determines to initiate disciplinary or other enforcement action. If the Board determines to issue any sanction, action will be taken in public session immediately after the Executive Session. A vote was taken and the motion carried by a unanimous vote.

The Board returned to Public Session and a motion was made by David Bank and seconded by Lori Keith, to adjourn the meeting at 3:20 P.M. A vote was taken and the motion carried by a unanimous vote.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:20 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Laura L. Anderson,
Executive Director